

Dear _____ :

Are you interested in supporting your community by helping local students secure financial aid for college? FAFSA Frenzy offers opportunities for local organizations and businesses to help high school seniors and current college students learn more about applying for financial aid.

Each year, the U.S. Department of Education makes more than \$150 billion in postsecondary grants and loans available to students throughout the nation. FAFSA Frenzy provides students with free, on-site help filling out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid, the first step in applying for federal and state aid.

To assist students and their parents with the FAFSA process, knowledgeable financial aid advisors will be on hand at FAFSA Frenzy locations October through January. Our local FAFSA Frenzy event will be held on _____ at _____, from _____ to _____.

As in past years, the success of FAFSA Frenzy depends on support from the communities in which the events are hosted. Please help spread the word by posting the official FAFSA Frenzy poster or distributing leaflets in high-traffic areas within your community.

FAFSA Frenzy includes a statewide drawing for up to 16 scholarships. Winners will receive their scholarships upon receipt of enrollment documentation for the 2017 fall term at a Missouri college, university or other postsecondary program.

FAFSA Frenzy is part of a larger national effort to assist prospective and current college students and their families with completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid. FAFSA Frenzy is offered in Missouri through partnerships between the Missouri Department of Higher Education with the Missouri Association of Student Financial Aid Personnel, the Missouri Higher Education Loan Authority and the National College Access Network (NCAN).

A complete list of statewide FAFSA Frenzy events is available at <http://dhe.mo.gov/ppc/ffsites.php>. For more information, please visit <http://dhe.mo.gov/ppc/fafsafrenzyforstudents.php>.

Sincerely,